TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Proceedings of the members of the District Fund Board of the Tumkur district, dated the 16th March 1897.

PRESENT.

Mr. M. Narain Rao, President.

Official Members.

1. Mr. K. R. Srinivasaiengar, M. A., General Assistant Commissioner.
2. Mr. C. T. Dalal, L. C. E., Executive Engineer.
3. Mr. T. S. Nanjappa, M. B., C. M., Assistant Surgeon.
4. Mr. Muhammad Raza, Amildar of Tumkur.
5. Mr. C. N. Chaudaiya, Amildar of Maddagiri.
6. Mr. D. Subba Rao, Amildar of Chiknayakanhalli.
7. Mr. Vedantadesigamaiengar, Amildar of Sira.
8. Mr. P. Sitaramaiya, Amildar of Gubbi.
9. Mr. B. Sitaramaiya, Amildar of Tiptur.
10. Mr. R. Shama Rao, Amildar of Kunigal.

Non-Official Members.

1. Mr. Ramadasappa.
2. Mr. Abid Ali Saib.
3. Mr. Agali Krishnappa.
4. Mr. Ganganna Chetti.
5. Mr. Syed Mustafa Saib.

ABSENT.

Official Member.

1. Mr. H. R. Srinivasa Rao, Amildar of Pavagada (owing to pressure of work in the taluk).

Non-Official Members.

1. Mr. Srinivasatatachar (sick).
2. Mr. Chikkanna Setti.

1. Read Government Proceedings No. 9037-434—L. F. 23-96 of the 10th February 1897, directing to furnish invariably information as to circumstances under which works are proposed to be undertaken to enable the Government to accord or refuse sanction as the case may be.

Resolved that the same be noted and recorded.

2. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 7200-8—L. F. 137-92 of the 21st December 1896, observing that the Deputy Commissioners are competent to sanction estimates up to the limit of Rs. 500 in the case of works to be carried out from the Local Funds General as well as from Municipal and District Funds.

3. Read Government Proceedings No. 9623-4—L. F. 41-94 of 22nd February 1897, forwarding copy of Chief Engineer's letter No. 685 of the 5th February 1897, regarding the road from Nonavinkere to Vignasanthe in the Tiptur taluk, and requesting to state whether the Deputy Commissioner and the Board are in favor of the cheaper road proposed by the Executive Engineer, and calling for the submission of an estimate of the cost of acquiring the lands required in making this road together with a report as to the source from which the cost of acquisition as well as the cost of making the road could be met.

The Board are in favor of the cheaper estimate. The Amildar will be called upon to settle the compensation payable for the occupied lands over which the line passes, and the Executive Engineer be requested to specify the survey numbers and the area of land required for the road.

Provision of Rs. 587 exists for the cart-track in the current year's budget. Cost of acquiring the lands will be met from the head "Reserve for works to be done by the Revenue Officers."

4. Read Executive Engineer's letter No. 122 of the 25th January 1897, forwarding for approval an estimate for Rs. 366 for deviating a portion of the road in the 11th mile of the Kibbanahalli-Turuvekere road to avoid danger attendant upon traffic owing to the bad curve that exists in the existing line.

Resolved that the estimate be sanctioned, the cost being met from the "Reserve for works to be undertaken by the Revenue Officers" in the current year's District Fund budget.

5. Read Executive Engineer's letter No. 1267, dated the 26th November 1896, forwarding for sanction an estimate for Rs. 72-0-0 for repairing the musafirkhana at Chelur and another for Rs. 70 for repairing and widening road on Hagalvadi road near Hosakere.

Resolved that the estimates be sanctioned, the cost being met from the "Reserve for works to be undertaken by the Revenue Officers" in the current year's District Fund budget.

6. Read and recorded Executive Engineer's letter No. 55 of the 30th January 1897, forwarding copy of the completion report for the annual repairs done to the Dobbspet-Koratagere road for 1895-96.

7. Read and recorded Executive Engineer's No. 57 of the 30th January 1897, forwarding copy of completion report of the annual repairs done to the Maddagiri-Dodballapur road for 1895-96.

8. Read and recorded Government Proceedings No. 7434—L. F. 115-96 of the 24th December 1896, recording with certain observation a communication from the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore, stating that the District Fund Board of the French Rocks Circle have resolved that wells in Sarkar villages should be sunk out of Local Funds General and that the inamdars should sink wells at their own cost in inam villages.

9. Read Huliyar Hospital Assistant's application for occupying the musafirkhana at Huliyar.

The Board are of opinion that, considering the very limited accommodation available in the building for travellers, it is not desirable to allow the Hospital Assistant to occupy the building for dwelling purposes.

M. NARAIN RAO, *President.*